

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 2735 – HB 2826

March 22, 2010

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (015030): Deletes all language of the original bill. Prohibits a waste processor from processing certain by-product materials and other radioactive substances. Authorizes the Commissioner of the Department of Environment and Conservation to grant a variance from the requirements for any immediate action required by an emergency.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Decrease State Revenue –
\$1,080,000/Recurring/Environmental Protection Fund (EPF)

Increase State Expenditures - \$32,900/One-Time/General Fund
\$354,300/One-Time/EPF
\$46,300/Recurring/General Fund
\$498,000/Recurring/EPF

Increase Local Expenditures – Exceeds \$1,000,000/One-Time*

**Article II, Section 24 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that: no law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.*

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumption applied to amendment:

- Any increase to state expenditures associated with granting variances and enforcing the requirements of this amendment will be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White".

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James W. White, Executive Director

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